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TITLE SUBSCRIBER CHARACTERIZATION SYSTEM WITH FILTERS		ART UNIT 2711	EXAMINER UNKNOWN

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows prior to Examining  
the Application:

**In the Specification**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1 line 3, add --This application is a Continuation-In-  
Part (CIP) of co-pending U.S. Application number 09/204,888 filed  
on December 3, 1998.--.

Respectfully submitted,

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